Daniel Center
- Established in 1996, teaching facility in 1999
- Cooperation between School of Ag and Intercollegiate Athletics
- Part of the Birck Boilermaker Golf Complex including the Pete Dye-designed Kampen Course
- 22 acres of turf research plots
- State-of-the-art teaching facility

Daniel Center
- Hosts all turf extension events
- Undergraduate labs
- Since 2002, over 30,000 users in programs from 32 sponsoring departments and/or organizations throughout the university and green industry

Daniel Center
- Research
  - Reduce inputs and protect environment while maintaining quality
  - 6 faculty and upper AP staff from 3 departments heading research
  - 3 AP staff technicians, managers
  - Average 10 graduate students

Turfgrass Research Opportunities
- Kampen Course
- Ackerman Course
- Daniel Center

Annual Expenditures (soft funded)
- MRTF $35,000
- Dow Agro Sciences $11,000 (Service and Site Agreement)
- Donations $1,000 - 5,000
- From Faculty $0 - 15,000
- Capital improvements $0 - 25,000 (MRTF or faculty)
- Manager (Don Fassnacht) salary is hard funded
- Building upkeep is university responsibility
On-course Research

- Created wetlands for improving water quality
- C. bentgrass evaluation

Daniel Center Research

- Disease biology
- Insect biology
- Cultivar evaluations
- Weed biology
- Seeded warm-season grasses